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Representative Konopnicki

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 5.1, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 36-573; AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 27, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 41-3010.24; RELATING TO THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
2 Section 1. Title 36, chapter 5.1, article 1, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 36-573, to read:
4 36-573. Developmental disabilities oversight committee:
5 membership; compensation; duties
6 A. THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE IS ESTABLISHED
7 CONSISTING OF THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:
8 1. THREE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WHO ARE APPOINTED BY
9 THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND NOT MORE THAN TWO OF WHOM ARE
10 MEMBERS OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY.
11 2. THREE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF
12 THE SENATE AND NOT MORE THAN TWO OF WHOM ARE MEMBERS OF THE SAME POLITICAL
13 PARTY.
14 3. THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION.
15 4. A MEMBER WHO REPRESENTS THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE.
16 5. ONE PERSON WHO REPRESENTS AN ORGANIZATION THAT PROVIDES IN-HOME
17 SERVICES TO PERSONS WHO ARE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED AND WHO IS APPOINTED BY
18 THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
19 6. ONE PERSON WHO REPRESENTS AN ORGANIZATION THAT PROVIDES EMPLOYMENT
20 AND RESIDENTIAL SERVICES TO PERSONS WHO ARE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED AND WHO
21 IS APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.
22 7. ONE MEMBER WHO IS THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A DEVELOPMENTALLY
23 DISABLED MINOR CHILD AND WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
24 REPRESENTATIVES.
25 8. ONE MEMBER WHO IS THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A DEVELOPMENTALLY
26 DISABLED MINOR CHILD AND WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.
27 B. COMMITTEE MEMBERS SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE
28 FOR MAKING THE APPOINTMENT.
29 C. COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR COMPENSATION BUT MEMBERS
30 APPOINTED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION A, PARAGRAPHS 5 THROUGH 8 ARE ELIGIBLE TO
31 RECEIVE REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES PURSUANT TO TITLE 38, CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE 2.
32 D. THE COMMITTEE SHALL:
33 1. MONITOR AND EVALUATE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE QUALIFIED VENDOR
34 SYSTEM OF DELIVERING SERVICES TO THE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED.
35 2. TAKE TESTIMONY AND STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF MODIFICATIONS TO THE
36 STATE'S SYSTEM OF DELIVERING SERVICES TO THE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED.
37 3. STUDY AVAILABLE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE DEVELOPMENTALLY
38 DISABLED AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVING THOSE OPPORTUNITIES.
39 4. SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON OR
40 BEFORE NOVEMBER 15 TO THE GOVERNOR, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE
41 SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND PROVIDE A COPY OF THIS REPORT TO
42 THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE ARIZONA STATE LIBRARY,
43 ARCHIVES AND PUBLIC RECORDS.

1 Sec. 2. Title 41, chapter 27, article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding section 41-3010.24, to read:

3 41-3010.24. Developmental disabilities oversight committee:
4 termination July 1, 2010

5 A. THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TERMINATES ON
6 JULY 1, 2010.

7 B. SECTION 36-573 IS REPEALED ON JANUARY 1, 2011.

8 Sec. 3. Purpose

9 Pursuant to section 41-2955, subsection E, Arizona Revised Statutes,
10 the legislature establishes the developmental disabilities oversight
11 committee to provide for a comprehensive review of services to the
12 developmentally disabled in this state.